IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA WESTERN DIVISION

| ELMORE COOK, Jr., |) | |
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| Plaintiff, |) | |
| v. |) Case No. 7:08-cv-0 | 1314-SLB-JEO |
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| Sgt. ROSSMAN, et al., |) | |
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| Defendants. |) | |

MEMORANDUM OF OPINION

The magistrate judge filed a report and recommendation on January 30, 2009, recommending that this action be dismissed for failing to state a claim upon which relief can be granted, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915A(b)(1). The plaintiff was advised that he may file specific written objections to the report and recommendation within fifteen days. No objections have been filed.

Having carefully reviewed and considered *de novo* all the materials in the court file, including the report and recommendation, the court is of the opinion that the magistrate judge's report is due to be and hereby is **ADOPTED** and the recommendation is **ACCEPTED**. Accordingly, the complaint is due to be dismissed for failing to state a claim upon which relief can be granted, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915A(b)(1). A Final Judgment will be entered.

DONE, this 15th day of April, 2009.

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CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE